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House Resolution 2108

By: Representatives Golick of the 34th, Teilhet of the 40th, Wix of the 33rd, and Johnson of the 37th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Mr. William H. "Bill" Scoggins; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
- 3 with the passing of Mr. William H. "Bill" Scoggins on January 31, 2010; and
- 4 WHEREAS, a longtime resident of Smyrna, Georgia, Mr. Scoggins diligently and
- 5 conscientiously dedicated his time, talents, and energy to improving the lives of his
- 6 neighbors as a member of the Smyrna City Council for over 19 years; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he retired from Fouts Brothers Truck Sales after 25 years of devoted service and
- 8 was a charter member of the Smyrna Oakdale Moose Lodge and a member of The Nelms
- 9 Masonic Lodge 323 F&M; and
- 10 WHEREAS, a man of deep and abiding faith, Mr. Scoggins was an active member of Smyrna
- 11 First United Methodist Church; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Mr. Scoggins was united in love and marriage to his adoring wife, Jeraldean,
- 13 and was blessed with the love of eight children, Jo, Lisa, Michele, Gayle, Cookie, Bill, Chris,
- and Richard; 16 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren; and
- 15 WHEREAS, he was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation
- 16 for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness and, by the example he made of his life, he
- 17 made this world a better place in which to live; and
- 18 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Mr. Scoggins will long be remembered for
- 19 his love of dogs, family, and friendship, and this loyal husband, father, brother, grandfather,
- and friend will be missed by all who had the great fortune of knowing him.

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21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Mr. William H. "Bill"
- 23 Scoggins and express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.
- 24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Mr. William
- 26 H. "Bill" Scoggins.